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As I recall, this briefing paper was prepared jointly by the federal lead agencies. I believe it was used to prepare the October 2010 letter that the three lead Federal agencies sent to EPA regarding the BDCP purpose and need. At the time this briefing paper and the response to the EPA letter were prepared, the federal lead agencies had agreed that explanatory text would be included in the EIR/EIS and that no changes to the Purpose Statement from the NOI were anticipated. Changes to the NOI Purpose Statement have been proposed and discussed by the federal lead agencies, the Corps, and EPA, but there has been no overall federal agency agreement on this issue that I am aware of.

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We have already corrected Letty's impression and sent her the April 28th suggested revised language for the P+N statement.

My question to you guys is, do you know where her two-pager came from? It looks like an internal DOI or NMFS briefing paper.

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Michael L" <MLConnor@usbr.gov> Date: 06/15/2011 02:05 PM Subject: purpose and need

Thank you all for the very helpful discussion today about BDCP purpose and need. In reviewing my files I found the attached undated 2-pager. Is this by any chance what was referred to in our call as the "March-April federal agreement?" Or is there some other document reflecting that agreement? The attached document appears to me to be totally consistent with the October 2010 letter that the three lead Federal agencies sent to EPA re: BDCP purpose and need. Anything you can provide me to clarify what the agreement was and/or what the Corps' concerns are would be most helpful. Thanks a lot, Letty

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